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25X1X REPORT NO.1. Location :

About 10 minutes walk northeast of the opera of Minsk ($27^{\circ}35'E$ / $53^{\circ}50'N$), White Russian SSR, and 10 minutes walk in NNE direction from the newly constructed military academy. The machine tool plant and the military academy are on the same street. For location see Annex 1.

2. Plant installations :

The plant covers about 250 x 220 meters and is bordered by streets on all four sides. Five very new workshops are the essential installations of the plant. There is no railroad connection. Power is supplied by the municipal plant.

3. Work force :

One hundred and fifty PWs working on the construction. No details are available on the number of civilian laborers.

4. Production :

Tools.

5. The plant covers an area of about 300 x 150 meters. For plant layout see Annex 2.

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6. Work force :

One hundred and twenty PWs and 40 civilian laborers.

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Comment :

The report is a confirmation and a valuable supplement to a previous report.*

The location, as **northeast** of the opera, is correct. The sketch of the second source generally agrees with the previous reproduction of the plant layout.

2 Annexes :

1.) } Chkalov Machine Tool Plant in Minsk.
2.) }

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"Chkalov" Machine Tool Plant, Tula, Russia

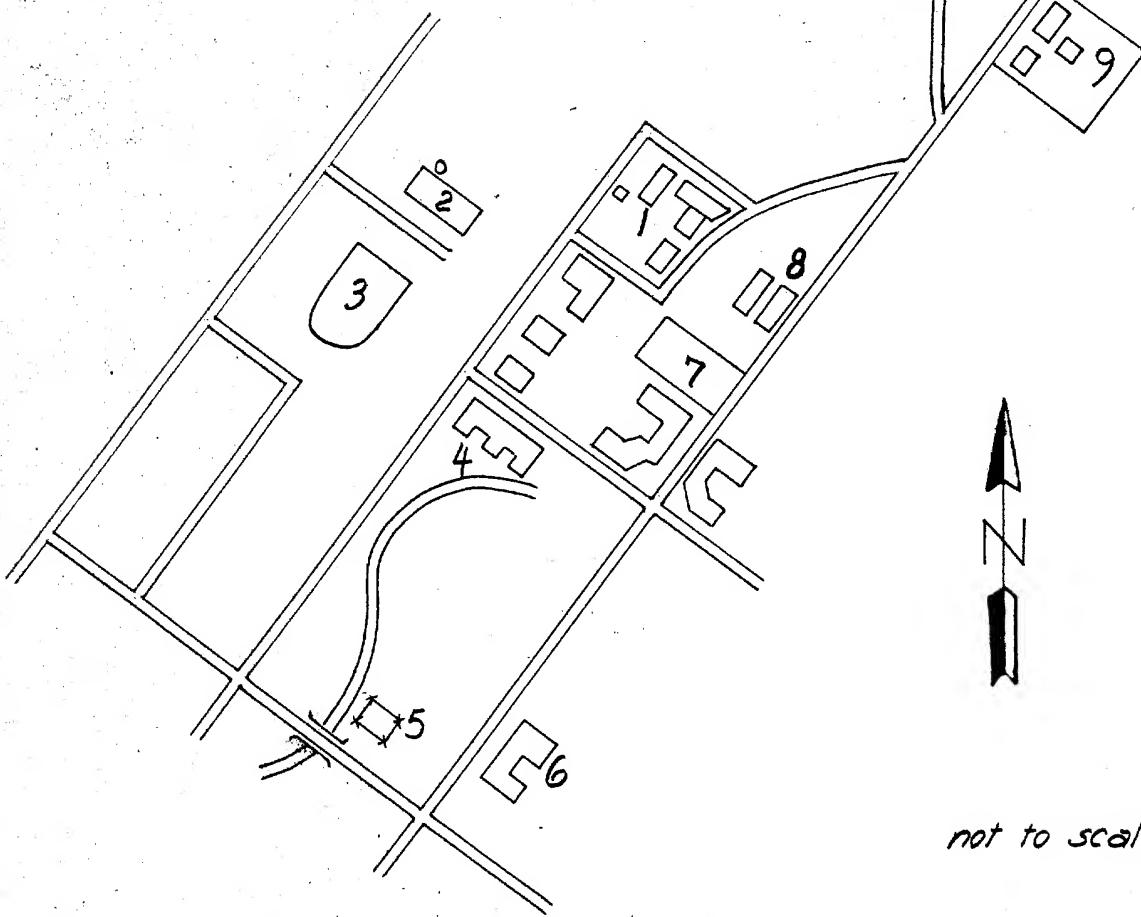
Annex 1

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Legend:

- 1 "Chkalov" Machine Tool Plant
- 2 Distance heating plant
- 3 Opera
- 4 Military academy
- 5 PW camp
- 6 Power plant
- 7 Street car depot
- 8 Fire department
- 9 Radio plant
- 10 Tank barracks



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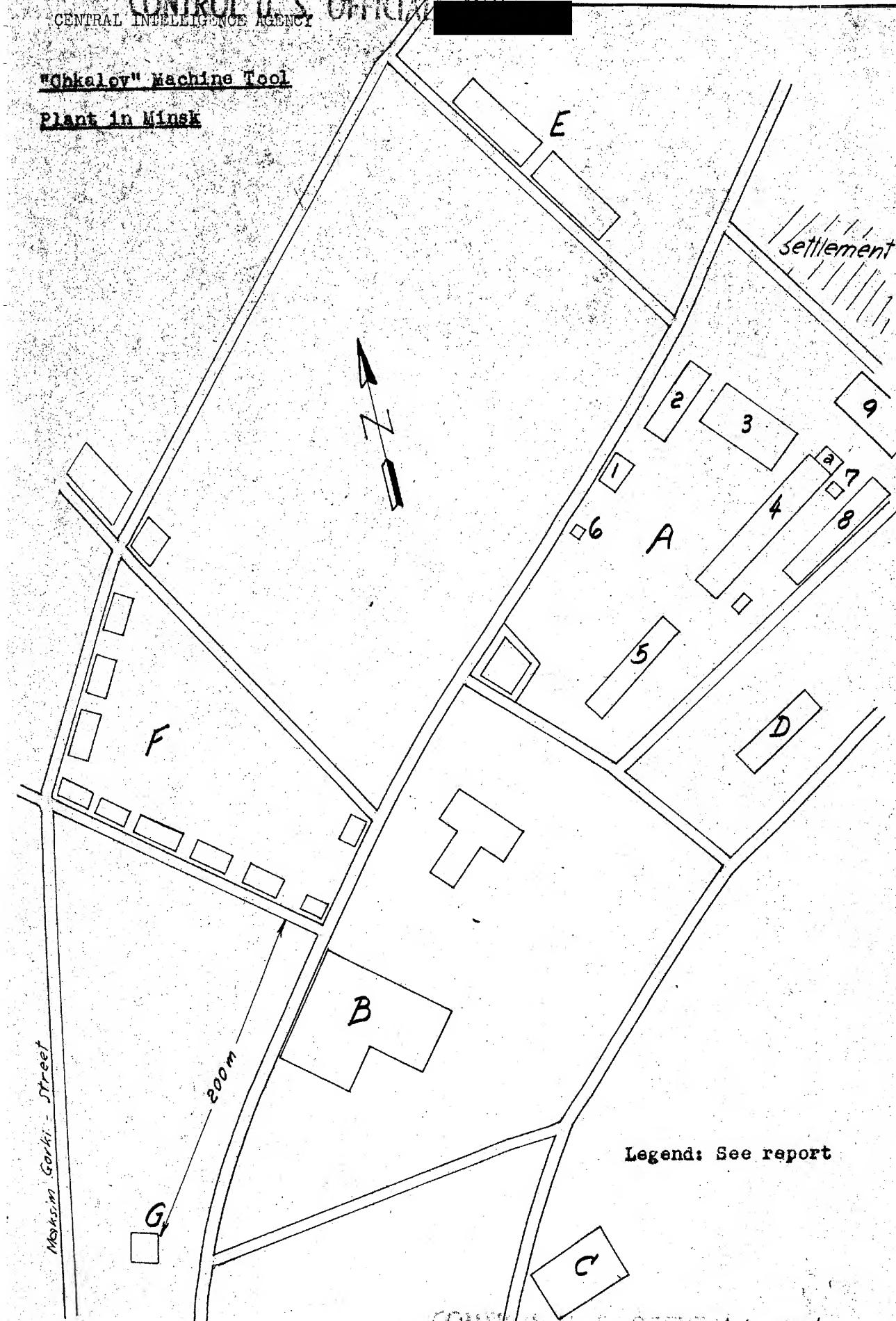
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"Chkalev" Machine Tool

Plant in Minsk



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Annex

Legend to Annex 2

- A Machine tool plant
 - 1 Wooden apartment house
 - 2 Stone building, 20 x 3 meters, stores with cement and machines
 - 3 Newly constructed stone building, three stories, 30 x 12 meters, not yet roofed
 - 4 Stone building, 40 x 10 meters, equipped with dismantled metal-working machines
 - a Three-story office annex
 - 5 Lathe shop, two-story stone building, 30 x 25 meters
 - 6 Gate and guard house
 - 7 Transformer station
 - 8 Cantonment building with laborer apartments
 - 9 Same as No 3 above
- B New military academy
- C Street car depot
- D Fire department
- E Hospital
- F Settlement with officer houses
- G PW Camp No 7163/18.

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